W.C. defeats Raiders, 13-0

A persistent William Campbell football team hammered away at a 10-0 Appomattox lead in the fourth quarter of Friday night's game, and Appomattox lead in the fourth quarter of Friday night's game, and with the aid of two turnovers came away with a 13-10 Seminole District win.

The Raiders moved the ball well against William Campbell on the ground as well as in the air.

Placekicker Kevin Kendricks got Appomattox on the scoreboard first, with a 35-yard field goal less than a minute before the end of the first half.

The scoring drive began when Lee Moore intercepted a William Campbell pass on the Appomattox eight-yard line. A long pass to Tim Austin and a series of runs by Russell Walton brought the Raiders to the 24, where with time fading in the first half, Kendricks kicked the field goal.

The Raiders took the second-half kickoff and capped a nine-play drive with a touchdown pass from quarterback Paul Johnson to receiver Mike Jackson, with 8:40 left in the third quarter. With Kendricks successful conversion kick, the Raiders held a 10-0 lead and appeared to have the game under control.

The Raider defense stopped William Campbell on the next series of downs, then the Generals' defense stopped Appomattox on the following offensive series.

After the Appomattox punt, William Campbell began their first sustained offensive drive of the game at their own 35-yard line. The Generals drove into Appomattox territory, then, on a series of runs by Barry Pannell, got within scoring range.

The Appomattox defense held, however, and on fourth and 10 at the Raider 15, William Campbell was stopped for no gain, and the Appomattox offense took over.

Walton carried on first down for a gain of two yards for the Raiders. Then, the first of three bad breaks for Appomattox occured. On second down, the ball got away from quarterback Paul Johnson, bounced around at the line of scrimmage for what seemed like an eternity, then was scopped up by defender Allen Dunkley and carried into the Raider end zone.

The successful conversion kick narrowed Appomattox's lead to 10-7, with 6:36 left in the game.

The Raiders' second bad break came on their next offensive series. A pass to Mike Jackson deflected off his hand into the arms of a William Campbell defender. Six plays later, Pannell broke a play up the middle and bolted into the Appomattox end zone from 24 yards out.

Following an unsuccessful conversion attempt, William Campbell kicked to Appomattox, who took over at their own 28.

The Raiders began a series of successful passes which brought them to the William Campbell 39. Johnson then unleashed a long pass to Kendrick, who caught the ball and carried it down to the Generals' five-yard line. But the Raiders' momentum was killed when the play was recalled on an illegal procedure penalty. Four plays later, with 1:39 left in the game, the Raiders turned the ball over to William Campbell on downs, and William Campbell ran out the clock.

The Raiders had 85 yards rushing and 202 yards passing. William Campbell had 247 yards rushing and 22 yards in the air.

The Raiders are scheduled to face off against Nelson County Friday night at Bragg stadium for Appomattox's Homecoming game. The contest gets underway at 8 p.m.

16-0 victory

Jayvee gridders win

An unyielding defense and a consistant offense were key elements in Appomattox's junior varsity's 16-0 win against William Campbell Thursday evening.

Following a scoreless first quarter, Raider quarterback Danny Williams hit split end Shawn Walker in the second quarter for a 31-yard scoring pass. Raider running back Gary Scruggs then carried the ball into the end zone for the two-point conversion, giving the Raiders an 8-0 lead, which held through the first half.

The third quarter, like the first, was scoreless for Appomattox, despite a Raider drive which was stopped at the five-yard line on a 15-yard penalty.

Danny Williams intercepted a William Campbell pass in the fourth quarter to set up the Raiders' second scoring drive of the game. The drive, which began at the William Campbell 40, included key runs by Jeff Agee, Gary Scruggs and Keith Fanney. Fanney capped the drive with a scoring lunge from two yards out, and Williams then hit split end Sam Scuggs with a pass for the two-point conversion. The 16-0 Raider margin held the rest of the game.

Appomattox had 139 yards rushing and 68 yards passing for a total of 207 yards offense. Offensive leaders included Danny Williams (three for four passing, for 27 yards), Gary Scruggs (100 yards in 20 carries), Jeff Agee (14 yards on three carries), Keith Fanney (10 yards on five carries), Leroy Woolridge, (15 yards on eight carries, one pass completion for nine yards), and Scott Dawson, who passed to Chip Herncall on an end-around play for a 32-yard gain.

"The entire defense played a super game in shutting down the William Campbell offense," Raider coach Howard Clabough said. "This was one of our best defensive games of the season, and our offense improved a great deal over the previous week."

Tomorrow (Thursday) night the Raider jayvee squad will travel to Nelson County for a 6 p.m. contest with the Governors.

Radford takes tourney

Radford College won the fourth annual Cindy Smith Invitational Volleyball Tournament held Saturday, Oct. 20 at Longwood College.

The tournament included teams from Longwood, Bridegwater, Randolph-Macon Women's College, Christopher-Newport, NNC-Greensboro, and Radford.

Radford defeated Christopher-Newport and UNC-Greensboro defeated Bridgewater in the Semifinals. Radford went on to defeat UNC-Greensboro 15-10, 15-5 after losing the first game 10-15.

The All-Tournament team consisted of Dawn Terry of Christopher-Newport, Gretchen Foster and Brenda Blevins of Radford, and Simona Hunt, Maggie Hayes and Lisa Beverely of UNC-G.

The tournament is named in memory of Cindy Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith of Gladstone. Cindy was an honor graduate of Appomattox County High School where she played volleyball, basketball, and softball. Cindy played volleyball at Longwood where she graduated Magna Cum Laude in 1980.

Tournament Results

Bridgewater d. Longwood 15-3, 15-9
Radford d. Bridgewater 15-9, 15-8
Radford d. Longwood 15-5, 15-12
C. Newport d. RMWC 15-10, 15-9
UNC-G d. C Newport 15-9, 11-5, 15-7
UNC-G d. RMWC 15-1, 1-15, 15-4

Semifinals

Radford d. C Newport 15-5, 15-8
UNC-G d. Bridgewater 15-12, 15-1

Finals

Radford d. UNC-G 10-15, 15-10, 15-5

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Fundraiser planned at FRCC

FALLING RIVER COUNTRY CLUB will sponsor a golf tournament, a two-man captain's choice event on Nov. 11. Entry fee is $20 per person. All proceeds will go to the Appomattox Fire Department and the Appomattox Rescue Squad, to be divided equally. "We expect to raise at least $1,000 for each organization," said Charles To Moses, Jr. president of the Falling River Country Club. "We need all members and guests to sign up. If, for any reason, you can't play golf, we'd appreciate your $20 donation," he added. Pictured are Ned Hancock, for many years fire chief in Appomattox; Ray Noble, captain Appomattox County Rescue Squad; C.R. (Skinny) Wooldridge, fire commissioner for Appomattox, Steve Webster, club manager and Charles T. Moses, Jr. club president. Coffee and doughnuts will be served throughout the day. "We have some nice prizes to be awarded the winners," Moses concluded.

Raiderettes down Amelia

The Raiderette varsity basketball team defeated Amelia in a non-district game last week, and lost close contests to Rustburg and William Campbell.

The Raiderettes came from 12 points behind in the third quarter, to lose by only one point in Thursday night's game against Rustburg, 36-35.

Beverly Bennett and Darlene Ferguson were high scorers for Appomattox, with 10 and nine points, respectively, Sally Coleman and Delores Smith each scored seven points for Appomattox and Aretha Johnson added two.

Coleman and Janice Foster led in rebounding for Appomattox, with 16 and 10, respectively.

"It was a very disappointing loss for us," commented Raiderette coach Mary Tolley. "The girls worked hard to come back from 12 points down. The foul line was our downfall."

Monday night, the Raiderettes fared better, defeating Amelia 35 - 29.

The Raiderettes led from the first quarter when they went in front 11-8. Appomattox held a 19-12 advantage at the end of the first half, and the Raiderettes were ahead 25-18 at the end of the third quarter.

Leading scorers for Appomattox were Sally Coleman and Janice Foster, with 11 and eight points, respectively. Bev Bennett and Traci Moore each scored four points for the Raiderettes, Aretha Johnson scored three, and Delores Smith and Darlene Ferguson each scored two points.

Tolly noted that, since this was a non-district contest, she played everyone on the team, for at least three quarters.

In the game against William Campbell, the Raiderettes took a 12-10 lead in the first quarter, but William Campbell pulled even with Appomattox by the end of the first half, 18-18.

In the third quarter, Appomattox fell behind, 30 - 24. While the Raiderettes picked up their scoring pace in the fourth quarter, William Campbell retained their lead and claimed the victory, 42 - 35.

Sally Coleman and Janice Foster scored in double figures for Appomattox, with 14 and 10 points, respectively. Delores Smith scored five points, and Bev Bennett, Aretha Johnson and Darlene Ferguson each scored two points for Appomattox.

Smith had 18 rebounds for Appomattox, and Sally Coleman and Foster had 10 rebounds each.

"We ran into foul trouble early in the game," commented Tolley. "We had a total of 21 fouls, which really hurt us."

Other than the fouls trouble, however, Tolley was pleased with the play of her team.

The Raiderettes will conclude regular-season play tomorrow (Thursday) against Altavista at Altavista. The team played Jefferson Forest Tuesday after the Times-Virginian deadline.

The Raiderettes will face off against Altavista in the first round of the Seminole District tournament at 6:30 p.m. Monday, at Altavista. The tournament finals will be held at Altavista next Saturday, Nov. 3.

Four jayvees honored

Four members of the Appomattox Raider junior varsity football team have been named Players of the Week for their performances in Thursday's game against William Campbell.

Offensive Players of the Week include Danny Williams and Roger Jackson. Williams completed three of four passes from his quarterback slot, including one touchdown pass and one two-point conversion pass. In addition, Williams intercepted a William Campbell pass on defense to stop a General scoring threat.

Offensive guard Roger Jackson did a "superb job" blocking against William Campbell, according to coach Howard Clabough.

Defensive Players of the Week against William Campbell included Leroy Woolridge and Steve Booker.

Woolridge had three solo tackles and two assists from his cornerback position.

Booker had three tackles and one assist from his position at nose guard on the defensive line.

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Five Raiders honored here

Five members of the Appomattox varsity Raider football team have been cited by the coaching staff for their efforts in Friday night's game against William Campbell.

Carl Banks, Neal Kelso, Terry Eagle, Russell Walton, and Kevin Kendrick have all been named Players of the Week from Appomattox's varsity grid squad.

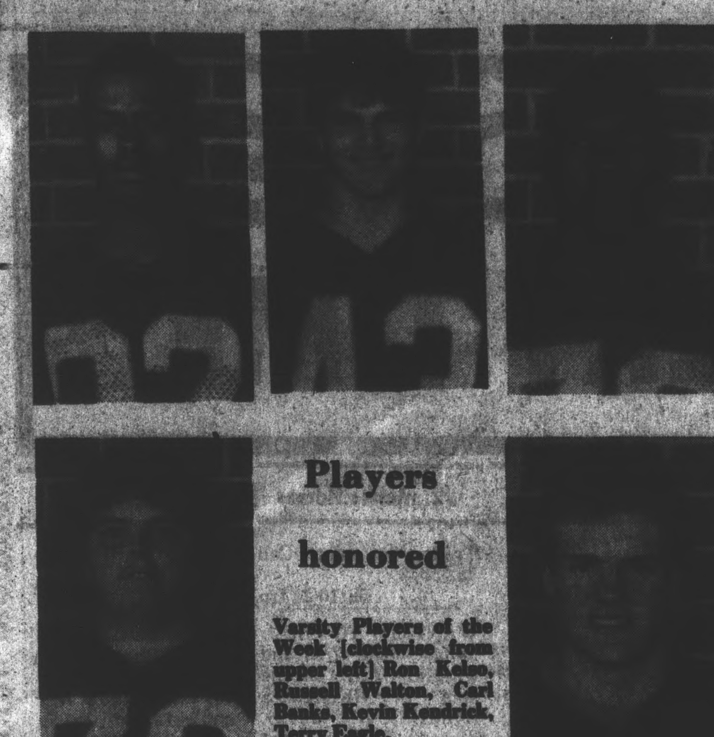
Banks, a defensive tackle, had 15 solo tackles and four assists against William Campbell.

Kelso, a defensive back, had five tackles and four assists in Friday night's game.

Terry Eagle, a defensive tackle, had five tackles and four assists for Appomattox.

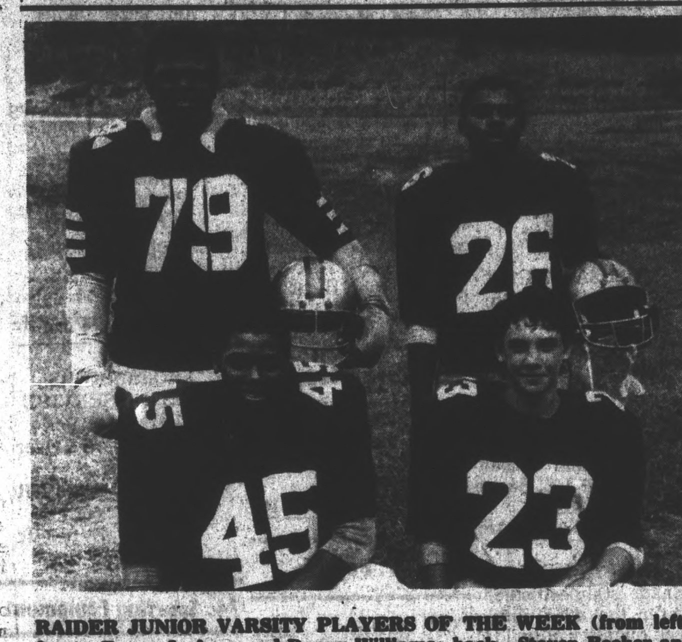
Walton carried the ball 18 times for 85 yards on offense, and made six solo tackles and five assists on defense.

Kendrick caught five passes for 74 yards and kicked a field goal for the Raiders on offense.

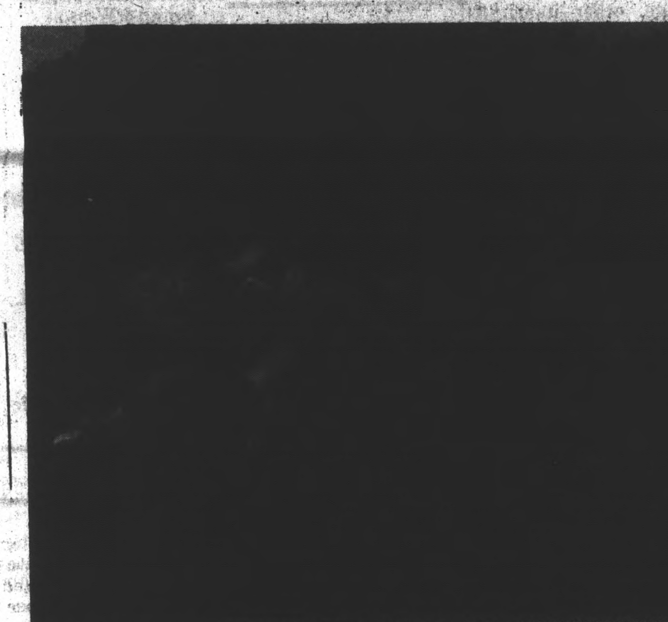


Players honored

Varsity Players of the Week [clockwise from upper left] Ron Kelso, Russell Walton, Carl Banks, Kevin Kendrick, Terry Eagle.



RAIDER JUNIOR VARSITY PLAYERS OF THE WEEK (from left) front - Roger Jackson and Danny Williams; back - Steven Booker and Leroy Woolridge.



THE APPOMATTOX COUNTY DIXIE YOUTH LEAGUE held its Homecoming Sept. 22 at Bragg Stadium. Pictured above, from left, are the Homecoming Queens: Angela Winans, T-Rebs, daughter of Sunica Harris; Dana Goin, Mites, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Goin; and Shannon Jamerson, Midgets, daughter of Dennis and Judy Jamerson.

Local FFA members attend state conference

Over 600 FFA members were in attendance at the Fourth Annual FFA Leadership Conference sponsored by the Virginia Tech Agricultural Education Society. Seven members of the Appomattox Senior FFA chapter were present.

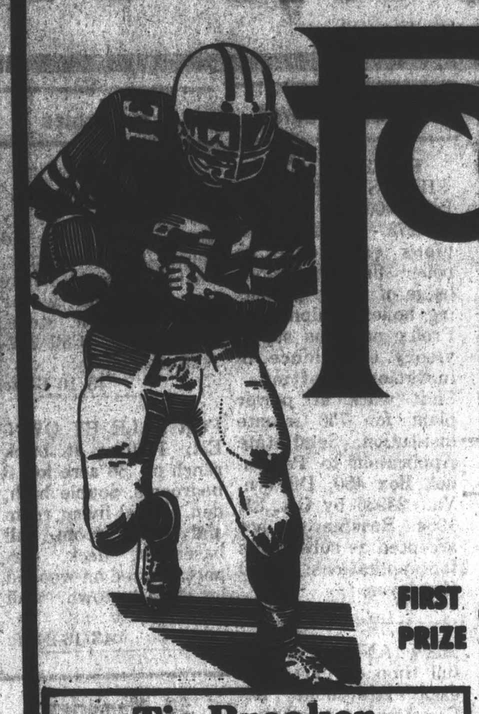
The members attended several different workshops where they learned more about the opportunities that the FFA has to offer, including those for personal leadership growth. Members were encouraged to put their new knowledge to good use in their home chapters.

FFA'ers were also treated to a performance by the Virginia Tech Cheerleaders and the Hokie Bird, Tech's mascot. But the highlight of the day was an address by Ron Wineinger, the National FFA President from Marion, Kansas. Wineinger offered them the challenge to become better FFA members and to excel at any goal they set.

Over 300 members and advisors also attended the Virginia Tech-Duke game on Saturday where they were recognized by the University.

The Virginia Tech Agricultural Education Society is an organization for students who plan to teach agriculture upon graduation.

APPOMATTOX SENIOR FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA representatives at the recent Agricultural Education Society FFA leadership conference at Virginia Tech included (from left) Jeff Feltz, Rick Pack, David O'Brien, Kevin Kidd, Thad Shumaker, Thomas Jenkins, and (far right) Lynn Padgett. Next to Lynn is Ron Wineinger, national FFA president.



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